



Attorney Docket No. 024445-354  
**PATENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:

Bo Carlstrom et al.

Application No.: 10/603,653

Filed: June 26, 2003

FOR: MALE PORTION, DRILL BIT AND  
THREADED JOINT FOR PERCUSSIVE  
ROCK DRILLING

Confirmation No.: 4028

Group Art Unit: 3672

Examiner: Gay, Jennifer Hawkins

## **AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 7, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: